

Senate Resolution 524

By: Senator Thomas of the 2nd

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing Alderman Clifton Jones, Jr., and congratulating him upon the receipt of the
2 prestigious Citation Award; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Beach High School Athletic Hall of Fame Association proudly salutes
4 Alderman Clifton Jones, Jr., awarding him the prestigious Citation Award given for long and
5 meritorious service in support of Beach High School athletics; and

6 WHEREAS, Alderman Jones is a 1950 graduate of Beach High School, where he was an
7 honor student and extremely involved in student activities; and

8 WHEREAS, after a tour of duty in the United States Army, he completed his studies at then
9 Georgia State College and upon graduation worked for the United States Postal Service
10 where he rose to a supervisory position before retiring after 28 years; and

11 WHEREAS, over the years, he developed many hobbies and civic interests and became a
12 strong community activist, devoting his time, talents, and energy to the Liberty
13 City-Richfield Community Association, the NAACP Board, the Chatham County
14 Democratic Committee, the American Legion Post 660, the Curtis V. Cooper Health Center,
15 and many other civic groups; and

16 WHEREAS, he has been recognized, appreciated, and honored by many groups for his civic
17 efforts involving Tatumville Lake, Tatumville Community Center, Liberty Community
18 Center, Tremont Park basketball court, Wells Park renovation, the development of
19 Ogeecheetown Park, and drainage system improvements throughout the fifth district, among
20 others; and

21 WHEREAS, he is also a charter member of the Beach High School Athletic Hall of Fame
22 where he has served with steadfastness and efficiency as the treasurer longer than anyone can
23 recall; and

1 WHEREAS, Alderman Jones gives of himself tirelessly, unselfishly, and in a quiet and
2 dignified manner, but when he speaks, everyone listens.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
4 recognize the outstanding civic contributions of Alderman Clifton Jones, Jr., and congratulate
5 him upon his receipt of the prestigious Citation Award.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
7 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Alderman Clifton Jones, Jr.